

Table 8. Farms, Land in Farms, Value of Land and Buildings, and Land Use: 2012 and 2007

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Item	Delaware	Kent	New Castle	Sussex
F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS				
Farms	2,451	863	374	1,214
2007	2,546	825	347	1,374
Land in farms	508,652	172,251	64,169	272,232
2007	510,253	173,808	66,981	269,464
Average size of farm	208	200	172	224
2007	200	211	193	196
Estimated market value of land and buildings	2,451	863	374	1,214
farms, 2012	2,546	825	347	1,374
\$1,000, 2012	4,153,426	1,377,914	637,546	2,137,966
2007	5,279,399	1,725,299	796,539	2,757,561
Average per farm	1,694,584	1,596,656	1,704,668	1,761,093
2007	2,073,605	2,091,272	2,295,500	2,006,959
Average per acre	8,166	7,999	9,935	7,853
2007	10,347	9,926	11,892	10,234
2012 farms by value group:				
\$1 to \$49,999	132	56	10	66
\$50,000 to \$99,999	106	38	23	45
\$100,000 to \$199,999	187	63	23	101
\$200,000 to \$499,999	733	282	116	335
\$500,000 to \$999,999	572	183	83	306
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	305	97	54	154
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999	242	89	35	118
\$5,000,000 to \$9,999,999	92	31	17	44
\$10,000,000 or more	82	24	13	45
Approximate land area	acres, 2012	1,247,158	375,246	272,823
Proportion in farms	percent, 2012	40.8	45.9	599,089 45.4
2012 size of farm:				
1 to 9 acres	farms	452	146	73
acres		2,022	598	277
10 to 49 acres	farms	933	324	169
acres		20,906	7,484	3,436
50 to 69 acres	farms	143	56	23
acres		8,366	3,285	1,446
70 to 99 acres	farms	158	70	12
acres		13,200	5,732	948
100 to 139 acres	farms	153	53	15
acres		17,642	6,049	1,753
140 to 179 acres	farms	89	34	13
acres		14,051	5,270	1,993
180 to 219 acres	farms	63	31	6
acres		12,407	6,142	1,188
220 to 259 acres	farms	43	19	4
acres		10,071	4,360	948
260 to 499 acres	farms	177	52	24
acres		63,273	17,811	9,162
500 to 999 acres	farms	92	29	11
acres		66,781	20,283	7,248
1,000 to 1,999 acres	farms	90	29	19
acres		115,410	36,550	22,966
2,000 acres or more	farms	58	20	5
acres		164,523	58,687	12,804
2007 size of farm:				
1 to 9 acres	farms	651	209	76
acres		2,549	(D)	(D)
10 to 49 acres	farms	802	261	142
acres		18,684	6,374	3,029
50 to 69 acres	farms	154	38	23
acres		8,952	2,163	1,318
70 to 99 acres	farms	177	54	12
acres		14,721	4,467	962
100 to 139 acres	farms	158	58	30
acres		17,979	6,498	3,350
140 to 179 acres	farms	79	30	8
acres		12,297	4,703	1,244
180 to 219 acres	farms	63	25	3
acres		12,419	4,963	616
220 to 259 acres	farms	41	18	2
acres		9,780	(D)	(D)
260 to 499 acres	farms	176	55	20
acres		64,313	19,465	6,939
500 to 999 acres	farms	99	26	11
acres		69,192	19,051	7,170
1,000 to 1,999 acres	farms	99	31	13
acres		131,204	38,487	17,245
2,000 acres or more	farms	47	20	7
acres		148,163	62,624	24,371
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE				
Total cropland	farms, 2012	1,658	619	246
2007	1,989	627	280	793 1,082
acres, 2012	439,157	147,402	56,074	235,681
2007	432,773	146,536	51,913	234,324
Harvested cropland	farms, 2012	1,448	540	217
2007	1,615	507	245	691 863
acres, 2012	421,321	141,758	53,507	226,056
2007	409,468	139,259	46,813	223,396
Other pasture and grazing land that could have been used for crops without additional improvements (see text)	farms, 2012	193	75	35
2007	432	146	47	239
acres, 2012	6,658	2,119	787	3,752
2007	8,842	3,103	1,212	4,527

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Item	Delaware	Kent	New Castle	Sussex
LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE - Con.				
Total cropland - Con.				
Other cropland farms, 2012	321	133	38	150
2007	308	129	33	146
acres, 2012	11,178	3,525	1,780	5,873
2007	14,463	4,174	3,888	6,401
Cropland idle or used for cover crops or soil improvement, but not harvested and not pastured or grazed farms, 2012	268	117	37	114
2007	213	84	30	99
acres, 2012	9,981	(D)	(D)	5,001
2007	10,663	2,377	3,838	4,448
Cropland on which all crops failed farms, 2012	30	11	3	16
2007	83	42	2	39
acres, 2012	576	(D)	(D)	336
2007	3,350	(D)	(D)	1,737
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow farms, 2012	34	10	-	24
2007	32	18	3	11
acres, 2012	621	85	-	536
2007	450	(D)	(D)	216
Total woodland	1,073	391	143	539
farms, 2012	848	338	101	409
2007	42,184	15,770	3,278	23,136
acres, 2012	46,126	18,356	3,532	24,238
Woodland pastured	169	53	38	78
farms, 2012	116	55	15	46
2007	2,219	690	273	1,256
acres, 2012	2,069	756	140	1,173
Woodland not pastured	969	357	131	481
farms, 2012	777	301	92	384
2007	39,965	15,080	3,005	21,880
acres, 2012	44,057	17,600	3,392	23,065
Permanent pasture and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pastured (see text)	853	393	158	302
farms, 2012	553	253	107	193
2007	8,154	3,675	1,637	2,842
acres, 2012	6,773	2,667	2,084	2,022
Land in farmsteads, homes, buildings, livestock facilities, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	1,720	584	265	871
farms, 2012	1,231	436	174	621
2007	19,157	5,404	3,180	10,573
acres, 2012	24,581	6,249	9,452	8,880
Pastureland, all types	1,009	452	186	371
farms, 2012	946	380	157	409
2007	17,031	6,484	2,697	7,850
acres, 2012	17,684	6,526	3,436	7,722
CONSERVATION AND CROP INSURANCE				
Land enrolled in Conservation Reserve, Wetlands Reserve, Farmable Wetlands, or Conservation Reserve Enhancement Programs	201	106	23	72
farms, 2012	226	115	32	79
2007	7,808	3,543	871	3,394
acres, 2012	9,221	4,504	929	3,788
Land enrolled in crop insurance programs	512	182	57	273
farms, 2012	521	182	57	282
2007	296,896	103,114	39,643	154,139
acres, 2012	260,565	94,765	33,863	131,937